



Natural Resources Conservation Service
6200 Jefferson NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109-3734

This solicitation is to recruit for a position under the Federal Career Intern Program in the field of Civil Engineering. The number of internships filled each year will depend on the needs of NRCS.

Applications will be continually be accepted and remain active for 60 days from receipt. **This notice will close on February 2, 2009.**

U.S. citizenship is required

Civil Engineer, GS-810 grade 7 with promotion potential to a GS-11.

Located in: Albuquerque and Las Cruces, New Mexico

Annual Salary – Please view the federal salary charts located at: <http://apps.opm.gov/SSR/tables/index.cfm>
Look for Table 0414: Worldwide Engineers (Selected Series)

The Career Intern Program emphasizes career development. During the two-year internship, Career Interns experience formal training that includes classroom and on-line training, structured on-the-job training, and rotational assignments to provide the skills needed to successfully be a Civil Engineer.

Applicants must meet the Civil Engineering requirements when applying for the career intern position. To view the Qualification Standards for General Schedule Positions – GS-800: All Professional Engineering Positions go to: <http://www.opm.gov/qualifications/standards/IORs/GS0800/0800.htm>

Individuals selected under this announcement are appointed to a two year internship and upon successful completion of the internship, may be eligible for noncompetitive conversion to career-conditional or career appointment. The employee in this position serves as a Civil Engineer Intern in the USDA, Natural Resources Conservation Service.

This is an Excepted Service Appointment not to exceed two years. There is no guarantee of a permanent appointment with the federal service upon completion of the program.

To apply, please complete and submit a career intern application (attached), submit a resume and a copy of your college transcripts.

Mail applications to:
USDA-NRCS
Attention: Rose Navarrete
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Albuquerque, NM 87109

Questions regarding this announcement may be sent to Rose.Navarrete@nm.usda.gov

Email applications will not be considered. For questions regarding veteran's preference, federal benefits including pay and leave, please go to: <http://www.opm.gov/index.asp>